

U.S. Senate
Desk Description and Condition Report

Desk No : **66.00086.000**

Paper Label No.(on shelf bottom): **44**

Painted No. (on bottom): **N/A**

Other identifying labels or marks (specify location): Stretcher: 43, 44, LXXXVI / Top: (stamped) 43, (tape) "Grassley" / Drawer Bottom: outside -; inside - / Drawer Back: (pencil) 43 / Bottom of Shelf (other than paper label): / Drawer Blade: / Inside Case Back: / Inkwell: (tape) "Mundt"

Description of Desk

Dimensions (in inches)

	Overall	Orig. Desk*	Case	Shelf
Height	35 1/4	32 1/2		
Width (front)	28 7/8	26 5/8	25 3/4	
Width (rear)	26 7/8	24 1/4	23 5/8	
Depth	20 1/8	20	19 1/4	9 7/8

* Note: Dimensions do not include "booster" blocks added to feet or writing top.

Woods

Primary:	Mahogany <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Mahogany veneer <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Rosewood veneer <input type="checkbox"/>
Other Wood (specify): _____	

Character of case mahogany:	Plain <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Ribbon <input type="checkbox"/>
	Mottled <input type="checkbox"/>
	Crotch <input type="checkbox"/>
	Other <input type="checkbox"/>

Secondary:

Element	Pine	Ash	Poplar	Mahog	Other
Drawer Sides			✓		
Drawer Bottom			✓		
Drawer Back			✓		
Case Interior			✓		
Drawer Front	✓				

Construction Details

Leg:

Wood Type	rosewood crossband	other crossband	no crossband
mahog. veneer			
solid mahogany			✓
other: _____			

Foot construction:

1-part ☒2-part ☐5-part ☐

Other: _____

Cockbead width on bottom of drawer front:

Narrow ☐Full width ☒

Double bead on edge of leg:

Bead: Thick ☒Thin ☐

Leg Thickness: 1 1/8"

Opening in original top for inkwell:

Yes ☐No ☒

Roundels:

Single piece ("yo-yo" form) ☐Applied boss ☒

Shape of cross-stretcher edges:

Rounded ☐Rectangular ☒

Inset distance of single bead on desk back panel:

Side: 1 5/16"

Top: 1 1/8"

Bottom: 1 1/16"

Spindle type:

Thick

Thin

Other

Number

2

5

2

Joinery of lower drawer blade to case sides:

single dovetail ☐2 dovetails ☐3 dovetails ☐lap joint ☐

other: mitred

No. of Glue Blocks

Case

Stretch'r

Shelf

Original/Old

New/Recent

2

2

Missing

Interior case-side flush with corner block? Yes ☒No ☐

Shelf molding applied:

Yes ☐No ☒

Width of drawer-opening offset

Right : 1/2"

Left : 1/2"

Condition of Desk

Structure

Previous breaks in structural elements: Yes ☐
(shown on schematic)
No ☒

Current split or broken elements: Yes ☐
(shown on schematic)
No ☒

Other loose or damaged joinery: Yes ☐
(describe in narrative)
No ☒

Damage to drawer front: Extreme ☐
Moderate ☒
Minor ☐

Drawer lock: relocated on face Yes ☒

Drawer lock: resized on inside Yes ☒

Cockbead on drawer front: Damaged ☒
(show on schematic)
Missing ☐
Loose ☐
Replacements ☒

Replaced drawer-side runners: Yes ☐
No ☒

Replaced case-side runners: Yes ☐
No ☒

Drawer bottom pieced-out at back edge: Yes ☒
No ☐

Wear on Feet	Extreme	Moderate	Minor
Front	✓		
Rear			✓

Number of loose spindles: No: 1

Number of replaced spindles: (show on schematic) No: 6

Replaced veneers and cross-banding: Yes ☒
(show on schematic)
No ☐

Missing veneers and cross-banding: Yes ☒
(show on schematic)
No ☐

Delaminated/loose veneers & cross-banding: Yes ☐
(show on schematic)
No ☒

Shelf supports: Original/old ☐
New/recent ☒
Missing ☐

Spindle support board in case: Yes ☒
No ☐

Finish

Age	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor
New			✓	
Old				
Unk.				

Note: Describe finish problems in narrative.

Hardware/Attachments

Item	Mismatch	Missing	Damaged
Knob (L)			
Knob (R)			✓

Toe cap size:

Right toe: 14

Left toe: 14